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SUBJECT: PROSPECTIVE TRAVEL OF PRIVATE SPECIALIST ON  
TERRORISM

1. DR. DAVID HUBBARD, PSYCHIATRIST HEAD OF INSTITUTE OF  
ABERRANT BEHAVIOR OF DALLAS AND SPECIALIST ON SKYJACKING,  
INFORMED DEPARTMENT JANUARY 9 THAT HE PLANS FOLLOWING TRIP:  
TO GO TO LONDON JANUARY 10 TO SEEK INTERVIEW WITH ARAB-  
APPEARING SUSPECT IN RECENT HIJACKING ATTEMPT AT HEATHROW,  
TO CONTINUE TO HAIFA WHERE HIS CONTACTS IN MEDICAL SCHOOL  
MAY BE ABLE TO ARRANGE INTERVIEWS WITH IMPRISONED TER-  
RORISTS, AND PERHAPS TO PROCEED TO KARACHI TO INTERVIEW  
IMPRISONED HIJACKER. HUBBARD ASKED DEPARTMENT TO FACILI-  
TATE INTERVIEW IN LONDON.

2. BRITISH EMBOFF GLOVER CALLED FCO, WHICH RESPONDED:  
THERE IS NO PROSPECT OF HUBBARD'S BEING ABLE TO INTERVIEW  
HIJACKER, WHO IS STILL SUBJECT OF POLICE INQUIRY, UPON HIS  
SCHEDULED ARRIVAL- HOWEVER IT IS NOT NECESSARILY OUT OF  
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QUESTION FOR INTERVIEW IN FORESEEABLE FUTURE IF SUSPECT

CONSENTS, IF HE IS REMANDED INTO CUSTODY, AND IF FOLLOWING OFFICE GIVES CONSENT BEFOREHAND: PRISON DEPT. P 4 DIV, 89 ECCLESTON SQUARE, LONDON SW 1 VIPU. IF INTERVIEW DOES OCCUR, PETER SMART, ACTING HEAD OF FCO'S OFFICE OF SECURITY, WOULD BE GLAD TO BE ACQUAINTED WITH HUBBARD'S FINDINGS.

3. COUNSEL CONTAINED IN FOREGOING PARAGRAPH PASSED TO HUBBARD, WHO WAS APPRECIATIVE AND WHO INDICATED THAT HE MAY REVISE HIS ORIGINAL ITINERARY ACCORDINGLY.

4. FYI: HUBBARD IS IN NO WAY CONNECTED WITH USG ALTHOUGH HE HAS BEEN CONSULTANT TO SEVERAL FEDERAL AGENCIES IN PAST. HIS BOOK, QUOTE THE SKYJACKER END QUOTE, COLLIER MACMILLAN PUBLISHERS LONDON AND COLLIER BOOKS NEW YORK, HAS BEEN GENERALLY WELL RECEIVED. HUBBARD IS SOMEWHAT CONTROVERSIAL AND ASSERTIVE PERSONALITY WHOSE ZEAL IS SOMEWHAT EXCESSIVE. IN ANY EVENT, DEPARTMENT DID NO MORE IN PRESENT INSTANCE THAN OFFER TO SOUND OUT FCO ON PROPOSED LONDON VISIT AND TO CONVEY REACTION. END FYI. KISSINGER

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